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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Yasunori YAMAMOTO et al.**

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Serial Number: **10/620,875**

Examiner: **Brent Swarthout**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 17, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2005 for 2 months from August 16, 2005 to October 16, 2005 (Sunday).

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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